

Numbers in Words

Greek	Latin +	Meaning	Examples
Mono-	uni-	1 one	monotone monograph monotheism monopoly monogram monolithic monotonous uniform unify unit universe unicorn alone atone once onion
Di-	bi- do- du- tw- par-	2 two	dihedral discord disrupt distort disturb discredit ambidextrous dissect direct diploma binary biceps biscuit binocular dozen [2+10] dual duplex duplicate deuce two twain betwixt between twist twine twill tweed twig par parallel pair parish
Tri-	tri- thir- ter-	3 three	trinity triad triple triumvirate tribune tribute tribe triumph trivium trivial trimester tripod trident triassic third thirty thirteen tertiary term
Tetra-	quadri- quart- for-	4 four	tetrahedron tetrameter tetrarch quadrilateral quadrangle quadrille squadron squad quarry square quart quarter quadratic farthing forty
Penta-	quin- fif-	5 five	pentagon pentagram pentacle punch Punjab fifth quinquere quintessence quintet fifteen fifty fist
Hexa-	sext- six-	6 six	hexagon hexameter sextuplet sextet sextant sixty siesta semester sixth
Hepta-	septem- sept- seven-	7 seven	heptagon heptathlon heptoxide September septuplet septuagenarian
Octo-	octa- oct- eight-	8 eight	October octopus octogon octahedron octogenarian eighteen eighty
Ennea-	novem- nine-	9 nine	November novagon (not to be confused with 'novus' [new] novel)
Deca-	decem- deci- dec- -teen -ty -zen	10 ten	December decimal decade thirteen fourteen fifteen twenty thirty forty dozen
Hect-	cent-	100 hundred	hectare centennial centurion
Kilo-	mille- milli-	1,000 thousand 0.001 thousandth	kilogram kilobyte millenium millepede milligram millimetre
Mega-		1,000,000 million	megaton megabyte
-hedron -hedra	-facet	face	tetrahedron polyhedra multifaceted
miden "not even one"	nihil nulla	0 zero "empty"	nil none null nullify annihilate
Hemi-	semi-	half	hemisphere hemiplegia hemizygous semicircle semifinal semicolon
Poly-	multi-	many	pol ygon polygamy polymer polynomial